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NITTI CHECKMATES D'ANNUNZIO'S PLAN TO GET MUNITIONS

Uprising in Large Manufacturing Towns Was to Have Provided Arms, Munitions and Automobiles to the Poet Faction.

Rome, Nov. 24.—Plans for uprisings in various parts of Italy, especially in some of the large northern manufacturing towns along the Adriatic coast, have been found on men arrested recently.

Premier Nitti is watching carefully the movements of d'Annunzio and followers. He has succeeded in checking their intrigues, discovering plots whereby they had intended to possess themselves of stores of arms, munitions, automobiles and airplanes.

Disapproval of the d'Annunzio adventures seem to be increasing both in press and with the public.

WHY DEPORTATION IS DELAYED IS SUBJECT INQUIRY

New York, Nov. 24.—Formal inquiry into the causes for delay in the deportation of radical aliens, held at Ellis Island, was begun today by members of the house committee on immigration.

CURTAILMENT OF COAL SHUTS DOWN INDUSTRIAL PLANTS

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Industrial plants all over the Middle West continued to remain closed today, fuel supplies to public utilities were further curtailed and the regional coal committees advised individuals to save coal as the nationwide strike of bituminous coal miners entered its twenty-fourth day.

LOCAL ALUMNI CLUB TO MEET THIS AFTERNOON

There will be a very important meeting of the Local Alumni club of the A. and M. College. Alumni association this afternoon at 5 p. m. in the civil engineering building at College. All A. and M. graduates living on the campus or in Bryan who are connected with the College, are urged to be present to make final plans for the reception and entertainment of visiting alumni here on Thanksgiving Day.

SOCIAL SCIENCE SEMINAR TO MEET MONDAY NIGHT

At the meeting of the Social Science Seminar in the south parlor of the Y. M. C. A. building at College this evening at 7:30, Prof. J. F. McDonald will discuss a subject that will interest all who are interested in the friendly and commercial relations of the two Americas, "The Value of a Course in Latin-American History and Institutions in Southern Colleges." All persons interested are invited.

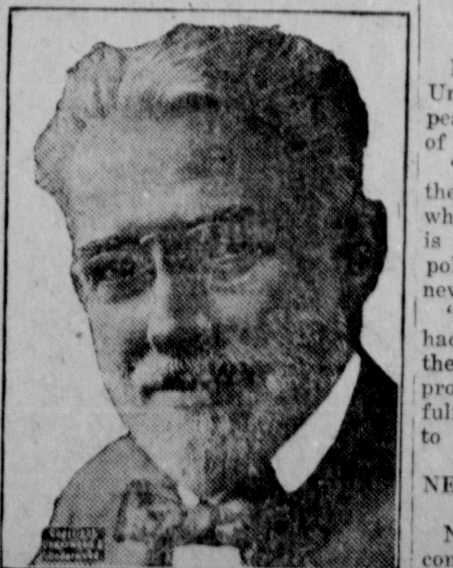
GEN. CURETON WILL GO TO WASHINGTON SATURDAY

Austin, Nov. 24.—Attorney General Cureton said he expects to leave for Washington on Saturday to resist any effort on the part of Oklahoma to obtain orders or proceedings of any kind through the United States supreme court, which would give Oklahoma control of or possession of the disputed oil property in the Red River bottom, now held by a Texas receiver.

AMERICAN LEGION DECLARES AGAINST ANARCHY IN N. Y.

New York, Nov. 23.—War against anarchy in all its various phases was declared by the American Legion here last night in letters of instructions to every legion in the state, signed by Russell E. Sord, state commander. The fight is to be carried on in the enemy quarters, and each of the 125,000 members is delegated to detect anti-Americans everywhere.

HENRY L. DOHERTY



Henry L. Doherty in these days is an international celebrity because of his prominence as an owner of oil, gas and electric properties.

DR. DRUMMOD DIED EARLY TODAY FROM STROKE PARALYSIS

Well Known Physician, Who Was Stricken on November 15, Passed Away at Bryan Hospital Early Today--Funeral at 11 Tuesday

Dr. W. G. Drummond, aged 51, well known physician, died here last night at 2 o'clock, following a stroke of paralysis sustained on Saturday, Nov. 15. Funeral services will be conducted at the home Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock by Dr. J. A. Held, pastor of the First Baptist church, assisted by Dr. C. H. Storey, pastor of the Presbyterian church. Interment at the city cemetery will follow.

In the death of Dr. Drummond Bryan and Brazos county lose a good, useful citizen. For a little more than a quarter of a century he has practiced medicine in Brazos county, and in such capacity, as well as his genial comradeship, has won a warm place in the hearts of the people. The announcement of his death spread gloom throughout the city early today. Friends from all parts of the county and from over the state hasten today to extend sympathies to the bereaved family.

Dr. W. G. Drummond was born at Kingston, Jamaica, (West Indies) where his father, A. H. Drummond, was stationed in the service of the English government. He was educated in England, and, after deciding to enter upon the study of medicine, came to the United States in 1887 and entered Jefferson Medical college at Philadelphia. After completing a four year course in medicine he came to Brazos county to begin practice of his profession, settling in the Benchley community, where he remained for twenty-five years, coming to Bryan a little more than a year ago.

On December 11, 1890, Dr. Drummond and Miss Evie Edge were united in marriage. He is survived by Mrs. Drummond and two daughters, Mrs. George Robinson of Galveston, and Miss Pearl Drummond of this city. Also he is survived by five brothers and one sister. They are: Arch Drummond, Colorado; William Drummond, Jamaica; Arthur Drummond, Dundee, Tex.; Herbert, Goree, Tex.; Mrs. E. M. Harris, Wichita Falls. The brothers Arthur, Herbert and Harry and Mrs. Harris are here for the funeral.

Dr. Drummond was a member of the Baptist church and a man who believed strongly in the principles of religion taught in that faith. He was a good and noble citizen and was honored and respected every where he was known. During the last few years his health was bad and he really anticipated such an ending.

BANDIT CHIEFTAIN IN COURT MARTIAL TRIAL AT CHIHUAHUA

El Paso, Nov. 24.—The fate of General Felipe Angeles was being decided today by a military court martial at Chihuahua City, which began trial last night.

OVERTIME PROPOSAL CONSIDERED BY THE BROTHERHOOD HEADS

Cleveland, Nov. 24.—Five hundred general chairmen of the four railroad brotherhoods met here today to consider the overtime proposal submitted by Railroad Administrator Walker D. Hines.

The conference is expected to last for three days.

PARTY POLITICS BLAMED FOR NOT RATIFYING TREATY

Berlin, Nov. 24.—Failure of the United States senate to ratify the peace treaty is considered a result of party politics by the Die Zeit.

"We must accustom ourselves to the fact that the peace treaty, upon which for us, life and future depends, is treated in America largely as a political party matter," says the newspaper.

"It is plain that President Wilson had no right to act as protagonist of the league of nations, nor to make promises to the European people, for fulfillment of which, he was unable to rely even on his own people."

NEW YORK PRINTERS BOW TO THE MANDATE

New York, Nov. 24.—Book and job compositors bowed to the mandate of the executive committee of the International Typographical union and ended an eight weeks vacation, which contributed largely to the printing tieup.

HATLESS JESSIE IN RACE FOR PARLIAMENT ON THE LABOR TICKET

Servant Girl Who Has Been Employed in Various Domestic Positions and Driver of Three Ton Lorry Takes Fling at Politics

London, Nov. 24.—Jessie Stephens, a servant girl with a mass of dark hair and who generally goes hatless, has signified her intention of entering the race for parliament on the labor ticket.

She has been employed as cook, housemaid and general boss in a large common lodging house, porter in a chemical warehouse and driver of a three ton lorry.

COACH JUNEAU WAS LOOKING OVER TEAM IN GAME THURSDAY

(By James Sullivan)

College Station, Nov. 24.—With the Southwestern game out of the way, though not disposed of in a very satisfactory manner, the Aggies will be pushed hard at practice from now until Thanksgiving Day when they meet Texas at Kyle Field. As far back as the oldest football fans at College can recall the Aggies always have one bad game during the season. It is usually with Baylor, but this year they put up a rather respectable game at Waco, but the condition of the playing field made it almost impossible for any fancy stunts.

Southwestern Game Disappointing. It is true that the Aggies presented a substitute back field and in the most part a substitute line, still they put up a miserable exhibition of football, and one far below that of even a substitute college team. Every brand of football known to the game was played Thursday and a few plays of the garden variety were added to the already long list. Higginsbotham, though playing but a short time, electrified the stands by some very brilliant playing, as did Askey and Gouger, but aside from those plays, which faded into oblivion when compared with those of the other variety, the spectators got little for their money. It might have been because Mahan, Knickerbocker and Captain Wilson, all regulars on the Aggie team, were sitting on the sideline, or the presence of Coach Juneau of the University who was in the grandstand taking notes of the game. If it were his presence that made the youngsters nervous, then they need a stimulant before the game Thursday, because there will be some two thousand University fans in the grandstand and eleven huskies on the field. It is up to Coaches Bible and Graves to diagnose each of their particular cases and apply the proper remedy without delay.

Stellar Work of Southwestern. The inferior work of the Aggies was both individually and collectively. Then, too, the stellar work of the entire Southwestern team was of course in a measure responsible for the small score. Three different times the Aggies had the oval on the five yard line, but lacked the punch to put it across. Just here is where the Southwestern team did their best work. Not only did they stop the Aggies completely but on one or two occasions, threw the runner for a loss of several yards. Southwestern gained many yards by the over head attack and by a little better generalship might have scored on the Aggies after recovering a fumbled punt on the Aggies fifteen yard line.

The handling of punts was bad and this cost the Aggies many yards. A poorly handled or fumbled punt in the game Thanksgiving will in all probability result in a score and perhaps the loss of the game. The Aggies have been prone to fumble the old pigskin all this season and the followers hope with the game last Thursday that they have exhausted their supply for the season. There is nothing more disheartening to a fighting eleven than costly fumbles.

The Aggies fully realize what the winning of the coming game means and they will be seen "in there" fighting Thursday as a different team from the one that started last Thursday's exhibition. They have always shown the "old fight" in this contest and will do it again on Thanksgiving Day. Many football followers believe they will play a decidedly better game on Thursday by having been pushed so hard by Southwestern.

INDIANAPOLIS IS CONSERVING COAL BY EARLY CLOSING

Indianapolis, Nov. 24.—Indianapolis started a real coal conservation today when practically every store and factory in the city was expected to close at 4 o'clock this afternoon. Also it was decided to shut down all factories the last three days of this week.

FALSE REPORT OF DEATH OF WILSON BREAKS UP SPEECH

Vice President Marshall is Informed in Midst of Talk That President is Dead--Report a Hoax and Reward is Offered.

Atlanta, Nov. 24.—State and city officials are investigating the hoax perpetrated last night by an unidentified man who telephoned to the city auditorium where Vice President Marshall was speaking that President Wilson was dead and Washington was calling for Marshall.

Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 24.—Through a hoax perpetrated by an unidentified person here last night an address by Vice President Marshall before an audience of several thousand persons at the auditorium was broken up by the false announcement that President Wilson was dead.

The man, it was said, telephoned to the auditorium office and asked for the vice president. When advised that Mr. Marshall was making an address and could not come to the telephone, the voice replied, "Well, he'll come now, for the president is dead and Washington wants him on long distance."

The engineer of the building received the telephone call and a policeman took the news to the stage and told it to Charles G. Haden, a business man, who informed the vice president that "the president is dead."

Mr. Marshall bowed his head and appeared overcome. Then recovering somewhat he told the audience what had been told him. He could hardly speak. Women broke into weeping and someone began to play "Nearer, My God, to Thee," on the immense organ.

As soon as he could the vice president got to a telephone and called the Associated Press, where he was assured that there was no truth in such a rumor.

"Thank God," he replied. Meantime the audience was dispersing and the false report spread over the city. Newspapers were almost swamped with telephone inquiries.

No reason for the hoax had been advanced by local officials today, but an immediate investigation was begun. Governor Dorsey announced a reward of \$100 for evidence identifying the person who started the rumor. Mr. Marshall came here to speak in behalf of a fraternal order and had not made more than half his address when he was interrupted.

WILD RUMORS SAY REIGNING HOUSE IN ITALY IS INVOLVED

Rome, Nov. 24.—Rumors of the wildest character regarding the possibility of a serious crisis, involving not only the cabinet but also the reigning house in Italy, are in circulation as the opening of parliament, set for December 2, approaches.

GENERAL TINOCO'S ASSASSIN EXECUTED AT SAN SALVADOR

San Salvador, Nov. 24.—Jos. Augustin Villalobos, who assassinated General Joaquin Tinoco, the Costa Rican minister of war, has been executed.

LONE BANDIT IS HEADED FOR EAST SAYS POST CARDS

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 24.—Bill Carlisle, escaped convict, is headed for the east according to dispatches to the Evening News from Erie, where he is said to have been last night. Carlisle followed his usual methods of calling at a newspaper office and leaving a message announcing his arrival.

COTTON MARKET

New York Futures.	Closed	Yest'd'y	Closed
Dec.	36.25	36.25	36.96
Jan.	34.98	35.73	
March	33.24	33.93	
May	31.87	32.62	
New Orleans Futures.	Closed	Yest'd'y	Closed
Dec.	39.90	37.84	
Jan.	35.05	35.98	
March	33.56	34.50	
May	32.00	32.98	
Spot Cotton.	Closed	Yest'd'y	Closed
New York	39.00	39.05	
New Orleans	38.75	38.75	
Houston	40.00	41.00	
Dallas	39.65	40.35	
Galveston	40.00	40.75	

THREE DAY HOLIDAY GRANTED BY FACULTY BEGINNING THURSDAY

Many Students Will Take Advantage of the Holiday to Visit Their Homes After the Thanksgiving Football Game.

Three holidays, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, are to be given at A. and M. for Thanksgiving this year. This was decided upon at a general faculty meeting held last week.

The holidays will start Thursday morning, and no school work will be required until Monday morning following. Students who have their parents' permission to come home during the Thanksgiving season will be granted leaves of absence, President Bizzell said today.

Plans for the Thanksgiving Day activities at the College are practically complete, and the entire program will be announced probably tomorrow.

STUDENT VOLUNTEER MOVEMENT SECRETARY SPEAKS AT COLLEGE

J. R. Wilson, traveling secretary of the Students' Volunteer movement of New York, spoke at the evening service of the Y. M. C. A. at College, Sunday.

Mr. Wilson was at College Station in the interest of the eighth quadrennial convention of the Student Volunteers, which is to be held in Des Moines, Iowa, December 31 to January 4. Nine thousand delegates are expected to attend this convention, Mr. Wilson states, and A. and M. is entitled to eighteen representatives. Practically all other large schools in Texas have selected their delegates and notified headquarters to make necessary reservations for them.

Rev. H. B. Jamison, rector of the Episcopal church in Bryan, occupied the pulpit at Guion hall during the morning hour, when a special vocal number was rendered by Mrs. A. R. Kadell of this city.

WAR DEPARTMENT MAY EXHUME 111 SOLDIERS' BODIES

Chicago, Nov. 24.—Possibility of a war department order requiring the exhumation and re-identification of the bodies of 111 soldiers who recently were brought back from northern Russia has developed with the inability of Dr. William P. Collins, of Racine, Wis., to locate the casket containing his son, Lieutenant E. R. Collins.

The lieutenant was popular in Racine, and the home town was prepared to give its hero a large military funeral last Friday. Then the father opened the coffin and found the body sent to him was that of Charles O. Dial of Carlisle, Ind.

"Body sent to me belonged to Carlisle, Ind. Body exhumed at Carlisle at my request, belonged to Summitville, Ind. Body exhumed at Summitville was not right one. Is it my business to have all these exhumed, one after another, or is it your business to have them all taken up at once?"

"Somebody's to blame and we wish to know who," said Vilas Whaley, a friend of Lieutenant Collins. "It looks very much as if they placed the bodies in coffins and then sent one indiscriminately to each of the 111 addresses."

HUNGER STRIKE NOT TO GIVE LIBERTY TO MORE PRISONERS

Dublin, Nov. 24.—Official notice was given today that no more prisoners will be liberated, conditionally or unconditionally, for hunger striking, and that the hunger strikers must themselves be responsible for their acts.

GARFIELD WILL PASS ON PORTION PUBLIC MUST PAY

Washington, Nov. 24.—Operators and miners in the bituminous coal field marked time today in negotiations of the new wage scale, while awaiting the decision of Fuel Administrator Garfield as to what portion of any wage advances should be passed on to the public.

WYOMING MINES SHUT DOWN IS THE REPORT

Sheridan Wyo., Nov. 24.—Virtually every coal mine in the Sheridan field was shut down today.

MEXICAN CABINET CONSIDERS STATE DEPARTMENT NOTE

Meeting Was Held on Friday But Action Taken Has Not Yet Been Disclosed--Governor of Puebla Was Before Cabinet.

Washington, November 24.—The American government's sharp note demanding the immediate release of William O. Jenkins, consular agent, was considered in a special session of the Mexican cabinet Friday, at which the governor of Puebla was present. Advice to the state department did not disclose what action, if any, was taken.

SHERIFF'S WARRANT LEADS TO CHARRED BODY OF AGED MAN

Corsicana, Nov. 24.—The body of R. J. Alphin, sought on a warrant charging the shooting and seriously wounding of his wife, was found with a gunshot wound in the abdomen and the body badly burned in a tent near his home here today, with an empty shotgun by his side.

The shot is believed to have fired his clothing. Alphin was seventy-two years old. His wife instituted a suit for divorce three months ago.

ITALIAN FOREIGN MINISTER TITTONI RESIGNS POSITION

Rome, Nov. 24.—Italian Foreign Minister Tittoni, has resigned and the minister is without portfolio. Vittorio Scialoja has been named to succeed him, according to the Epoca.

IRISH BANK CLERKS WILL STRIKE TO GET UNION RECOGNIZED

Dublin, Nov. 24.—The bank clerks throughout Ireland will go on strike on December 31st unless the directors of the banks consent to recognize their union.

OPERATORS MUST SIGN UP BEFORE MINES OPERATED

Pittsburg, Nov. 24.—The union miners of the Pittsburg district will not return to work until their leaders and the coal operators committee have signed the new wage agreement in Washington, was the opinion at mine workers headquarters today.

REPORTS SHOW NO MINES OPERATING ABOUT PITTSBURG

Pittsburg, Kas., Nov. 24.—Reports from the Weir and Scammon county region, where there are scores of dinky mines, some of which were expected to resume operation today, showed no mines in operation.

COLORED BAPTIST RAISE FUNDS TO REPAIR CHURCH

Members of the Shiloh Baptist church desire to return thanks to the white and colored people alike for the liberal donations made to the fund for the purpose of beautifying the church. A total of \$963.85 was raised for the purpose of making repairs on the church.

The leading club in the drive raised \$245.85 according to a report submitted yesterday. The drive was conducted by R. B. Goosby, chairman; Mrs. Mittie Brown, assistant chairman; and Rev. D. H. Shivers, pastor.

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICE ON THURSDAY

There will be special Thanksgiving services at the First Baptist church on Thursday, November 27, at 10 o'clock. Rev. J. W. Holsapple, pastor of the Christian church, will preach the sermon. All churches will co-operate and everybody is invited to take part in the service.

ATTORNEY GENERAL PALMER IS REPORTED AS IMPROVING

Philadelphia, Pa., Nov. 24.—Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer, who has been staying at the home of Governor William C. Sproul near Chester, Pa., since Friday, is rapidly convalescing from his slight illness and will leave for his home at Stroudsburg, Pa., or Atlantic City Tuesday. Mr. Palmer, it was said at the governor's home last night, was in need of a thorough rest.

GERMAN RELATIONS REMAIN UNCHANGED BY SENATE ACTION

The Withdrawal of Troops From Occupied German Territory is Not Considered Necessary in View of Action on Peace Treaty.

Paris, Nov. 24.—The withdrawal of American troops from Coblenz, in occupied Germany, was not considered, in American peace circles, as necessary in consequence of the United States senate's failure to ratify the peace treaty.

It is contended that the United States is still one of the allied and associated powers, and that a postponement of final action on the treaty does not change its relation to either the associated powers or to Germany.

TWENTY EIGHT DIE WHEN FLAMES SWEEP HALL CAUSING PANIC

Ville Platte, La., Nov. 24.—Twenty-eight persons, mostly women and girls, are known to have perished in a burning building here Saturday night when 300 attending a dance became panic-stricken and stampeded down a narrow stairway. Fifteen are known to have been critically injured. Ten bodies were burned beyond recognition and identification was possible only through remnants of clothing and jewelry.

Twenty-six of the dead have been identified.

Several mothers who were chaperoning their daughters saved twenty babies in a nursery room of the dance hall, but themselves perished, according to one report. While those attending the dance were fighting in panic to reach the one exit, a narrow stairway to the side street, and relatives and friends in the street were struggling to get up the stairway to rescue members of the trapped crowd, mothers seized their babies and hurried them over the heads of the surging men, women and children into the arms of men below.

The fire originated in the rear of Martin's grocery store, in one corner of the lower floor of the De Ville building, when an oil stove exploded. While a packed moving picture theater was running in the same building a cool-headed leader induced the crowd to depart in an orderly manner. None of these was injured.

The flames spread so rapidly the entire lower floor of the building was ablaze before the dancers were warned. Three hundred persons in the dance hall, which occupied the entire second story of the building, were stricken with panic and rushed pell-mell to the only door which led to the stairway.

The younger and weaker were trampled by the screaming, fighting crowd. In the fight on the stairway those who came from the street dragged down many who were fleeing from the hall after climbing over others.

NATIONAL LABOR PARTY DEMANDS JUDGE IMPEACHED

Chicago, Nov. 24.—A demand for the impeachment of Judge A. B. Anderson, of the United States district court, was formally voiced by the new National Labor party in a petition addressed to congress here today.

The jurists action in granting the government mandatory injunction which rescinded the coal miners strike call, was the reason assigned by the party leaders.

The demand for impeachment followed the presentation of the report of Robert M. Bruce, chairman of the conventions resolution committee. Only one voice in the gathering protested. A. I. Martin, a West Virginia official of the United Mine Workers, objecting, said it was a "waste of time." Nevertheless all delegates signed petition.

It is planned to have the impeachment petition signed by a million members of labor organizations before it is presented to congress next month.

BURLESON COUNTY GINNINGS.

Caldwell, Nov. 24.—In Burleson county prior to November, 1919, 5,118 bales of cotton were ginned, as compared with 25,943 bales ginned to Nov. 1, 1918. The total number of bales ginned in Texas prior to Oct. 1, 1919, was 909,106, as compared with 2,054,250 for 1918 to the same date.

CAMERON CITY MARSHAL DRAWS FIVE YEAR TERM

Waco, Nov. 24.—Tom Parker, convicted last week of voluntary manslaughter, was given five years' sentence by Judge Duval West today. Parker shot and killed his brother-in-law, Joe B. White, on March 17, 1915. His home was at Cameron and he was city marshal there at the time.

CONDENSED STATEMENT OF CONDITION AS MADE
TO COMPTROLLER OF CURRENCY AT
CLOSE OF BUSINESS NOV. 17.

The City National Bank

Bryan, Texas

RESOURCES.

Loans and Investments	\$ 550,214.89
Advances on Cotton	88,964.71
U. S. Bonds, Stocks and Certificates on Indebtedness	178,488.00
Furniture and Fixtures	12,500.00
Real Estate	8,937.00
Interest Accrued	14,871.14
Cash in Vault and Due from Banks	362,628.47
Total	\$1,216,604.21

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$ 150,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	128,371.10
Circulation	97,800.00
Discount Collected (not credited)	297.41
Deposits	840,135.70
Total	\$1,216,604.21

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PLANT IMPROVED SEED.

The matter of procuring good cotton seed for planting purposes is one that will claim the attention of Brazos county farmers within a very few months. A very large portion of the cotton seed in this county was damaged either by the continued rains or by the boll weevils and other insects, which render them extremely faulty and unfit for planting. It is therefore necessary for the farmers to procure well matured seed by the time the planting season rolls around, for it is a useless undertaking to attempt to grow cotton from faulty seed.

Also a movement should be launched in this connection to provide an improved planting seed, inasmuch as seed must be imported. There are varieties of cotton seed which yield a uniform and long staple that makes the lint cotton much more valuable, which may be grown just as well in Brazos county as any other variety. It has been demonstrated in marketing cotton that a one and one-eighth inch staple is worth considerably more than the usual three-quarter inch staple. Brazos county might just as well develop a standard length staple in growing cotton and realize the increased value.

Likewise there are improved varieties of cotton which yield a heavier lint than the ordinary variety. With the advantages afforded through the experimental station at College, the Brazos county farmers ought to grow the most approved varieties. Apply good common business sense to farming and reap a benefit.

In a recent book dealing with the youth of James Whitcomb Riley occurs a quotation from the man himself which forms a mental picture of the boy. Taught to read at home, in the village then hardly older than himself, and numbering but 300 inhabitants, the youngster got through the first reader with unusual rapidity, and disliked it heartily as literature. "Pilgrim's Progress" seemed to him much more desirable reading for a small boy. "Why," he wrote afterward, "when I read 'Pilgrim's Progress,' I could see the whiskers on Giant Despair as plain as day." Looking backward, Mr. Riley counted the graphically imaginative mentality that "made it possible for me to understand children nowadays, and to portray them more perfectly." But that, very likely, was because the poet kept in maturity the childish fancifulness of imagination which so many adults actually believe can exist only in childhood.

An English viscount with an income of only 900 pounds and a household and personal expense of 3,000 pounds for a period of seven months is wondering why bankruptcy is staring him in the face.

A newspaper paragrapher asks but little in recognition of his service. George Bailey would be satisfied with a small turkey for Thanksgiving and a little "nip" for Christmas morning.

A standing army of 260,000 backed by a draft measure that will enable Uncle Sam to mobilize a million men in a very short time ought to prove a happy medium to which large army advocates, universal training and those who contend for a minimum standing army may agree.

The good roads enthusiasts of Washington county have set a splendid example for other counties in voting a million and a half worth of road bonds to provide funds with which

to build permanent highways. With such a sum for the construction of a county system of roads, it will be possible to procure state and federal aid that will add materially to the funds. The election in Washington county was held June 21 and the bonds were finally sold last week. The money will be available, and public work in progress throughout next year, will provide employment for those who are in need of work. No community can become road poor by voting bonds for the construction of good roads, for it only brings new money into the community in a large sum that may be repaid in small annual payments.

Significant orders have been issued to the Texas National guardsmen to go into training at Camp Mabry, which leads to much speculation regarding the purpose of same. It may be that the orders mean that authorities hold that the men should have their annual training period and still it may mean that Uncle Sam is getting tired of the pillage along the Mexican border.

Fuel Administrator Garfield is sitting in judgment to determine what portion of the increased pay granted the striking coal miners shall be chargeable to the public. There is really not much use in wasting time on the problem because if a 31 per cent wage increase is granted by the operators, the public will shoulder a burden of about 33 per cent in order to give the operator a profit on the increased volume of business.

Not less than half a dozen perfectly reliable depositors on either side have figured it out to our perfect satisfaction just which team will be crowned with state honors at the close of the turkey day contest at Kyle Field, but we are "set" in our way and still think the Farmers are going to rope and hog-tie that bunch of Longhorns in record time. What it takes to win, we've got it—hitting the line hard and often.

A Mexia man was persecuted by five strangers, two of them rather interesting women, that it would be possible to corner the Canadian wheat market, and he handed over his little bankroll of \$5,000 and put out for home to get the remaining \$10,000 needed to complete the coup. The police recovered \$1,200 of the bankroll and returned it to the boob.

A coal famine prevails in a north Texas town where one dealer has a car of coal standing on the railway track awaiting for a permit from the government authorizing its distribution, and fear is entertained that it will be ordered away.

Turkey ought to enact an abandonment law to prevent the much-married Turks from discarding their wives when the high cost of living begins to pinch at the harem.

That lid-lifting decree in St. Louis is far reaching in its effect, but it is not an inter-state order and the drouth is in no wise broken in Texas.

Naturally there was unusual interest in the courtroom of the Jefferson Market court, in New York City, when a woman magistrate presided, the other day, over her first session. A woman judge is a new thing in judicial procedure; and a description of the scene shows that many of those who gathered to look on or participate, or because they could not help themselves, had their doubts that the law would be administered as effectively as by a magistrate of the sterner sex. The newspaper camera took a photograph; the first case was called, and the existence of a woman magistrate in the everyday life of the chief American city had become an accomplished fact. What is most important, it became, as the session went on, an accomplished fact that stood beyond criticism, and the new magistrate fulfilled the qualifications set down by Socrates when he wrote: "Four things belong to a judge: to hear courteously, to answer wisely, to consider soberly, and to decide impartially."

Even Fussfoot Johnson would enjoy an eye-opener these brisk mornings.

Many a puzzled reader must have studied the reduced planograph perforated record reproduced in an American newspaper to show how

this newly adopted method of printing is carried out, and understanding was no doubt easier if the reader was familiar with the operation of a mechanical piano player. In both cases the record consists of holes punched in paper, and in proportion as one understands how the player-piano translates holes into an orderly page of music, it is easier to comprehend how the planograph utilizes its holes to produce an orderly page of print. The inventor of the new printing machine says it can be operated twice as fast as a typewriter, and the printing of The Survey, a New periodical which seems to be the first to try the new method, shows that it really works. The machine, says a description, "ushers the letters of the alphabet to their places," and, fortunately for most of us in this busy world, that is all we need to know about it.

The army generals who estimated that 450,000 men would be needed for an invasion of Mexico, must have contracted the habit of thinking in big figures. Recall the old Second Texas regiment to have the task executed to our liking.

The fellow who admires success in man's every undertaking will experience keenest delight if Bill Carlisle eludes half the citizenship of Wyoming that is pursuing him just because he robbed half a hundred travelers on the midnight limited.

Possibly that Houston health officer started out to clean up the town in military fashion and when he ordered a pickle factory closed he tramped on the toes of some ward politician, which resulted in a heavy damage suit and prompt dismissal from office.

French women declare that a woman's limbs are no longer the mysterious secret they once were and that they will not discard the short skirts the American women found so attractive a little while ago. The question has been asked, "Is it more immodest for a woman to show her calves than it is to reveal her natural waist line?"

For the first time in a generation the Mexican dollar has come into its own and is worth more on the New York market than the American coined dollar. The increased price in bar silver is responsible for the seeming upset of the short change artists business. The war perhaps is the cause, and yet the war is responsible for the English pounds being quoted at less than par.

State aid to the amount of \$2,462,195, and federal aid to the amount of \$3,566,582 has been granted Texas counties which have met the requirements of the State Highway department in road building, yet there are some people who have not realized that the state and federal governments will aid in road building and are considering road building on the precinct plan. After the available funds have been exhausted a great wall will go up because somebody has been left out.

Some actuary statistician after much research has discovered that fat men are more susceptible to disease than are the long, lean, lank and skinny men. There it goes again, nobody loves a fat man.

Faced in the court room by the two wives he had married, a Houston negro can count himself mighty lucky to get off with two years.

Other Editors

"Let the People Rule." (Chicago Tribune)

A wise man welcomes wise restraint. He knows that absolute liberty is not only impossible, but undesirable. He knows that his will can not be wholly free because it is limited by innumerable conditions. He knows that his will ought not to be wholly free because he lives in a world of men, and he realizes that without compromise there must be either tyranny or chaos. He knows that it is not well for his will to be always free because he knows that he is not always wise.

These are truisms for the individuals and truisms for those aggregations of individuals we call nations. The wise man distrusts his own passions and impulses. The wise nation distrusts its own moods. The wise nation does not wish for absolute liberty. It does not wish to be always free to act on the mood or impulse of the moment. It knows it is not always wise.

The wise nation knowing itself, knowing that from time to time human nature is swept off its feet by passion or prejudice, places restraints upon its own liberty of action in order that it may be protected from its own mistakes of haste and impulse, and that it may insure that what it does shall be the result of reason and deliberate judgment.

These are platitudes, of course, out of the primer of popular government. But we do not apologize for setting them forth here, though they are as simple as the rule of three, because they are ignored by a very conspicuous sort of political thought and because at this time we have special need to think back to the ground on which we stand and renew our faith in principles human experience has proved in blood and bitterness.

There are two influences which oppose the self-restraints of ordered liberty; one is that of the demagogue whose power and profit are dependent upon his ability to inflame popular passion and take advantage of impulse which reason would control; the other is that of the dreaming radical who creates out of his own sentimental emotion a fiction which he calls "the people," and which is no more like us than the effigy of a saint in a medieval window is like our average selves. The people in the mouth of the demagogue or the emotional radical can do no wrong. Yet we the people know that both as individuals and as a people we do wrong; that we are human and, with

humanity, err. Looking sanely at ourselves, we know we are sometimes foolish, sometimes prejudiced or misled. The demagogue or the sentimental advocate of extreme and limited democracy does not remind us of follies we have committed in the past or warn against dangers of self-deceit and haste in the future. Flattery and idealization place us on a pedestal which harsh experience will lay low sooner or later—but flattery and idealization are pleasant. The wise man, the wise nation, is as careful to avoid self-deceit as the deceit of others; but we are not always wise.

The American system of government was founded by men whose genius was a very practical one. They knew life, they knew themselves. They did not allow themselves to be carried too far away into theory, and the principles they grounded their work upon are such as the plain, sensible man and woman can test out of his or her own experience. They wished action to be tested by reason. They believed that if a thing was important it was important to provide time for its examination. Like all great statesmen, like all temperate, experienced and sensible men in whatever walk of life, they wished to safeguard the people from mistakes inherent in fallible human nature. Therefore they did not establish a "pure democracy," a system by which public action could and would follow the fluctuating tides of our moods, but set up a system of principles expressing the best political thought of our race, the seasoned product of our experience and our political genius. By these principles it was intended our action should be restrained and guided rather than by the exhortation of passing eloquence or the temptation of passing moods or ideas.

The chief danger of democracy is refusal to know itself and to place checks upon itself. It sounds very plausible when demagogues and impracticals invite us to rule ourselves, tell us that we are our own masters, and that our will must be free. But this invites us to submit ourselves, not to the government of our reason and self-control, but to the chances and accidents of our impulses and passions.

"Let the people rule" is the slogan of advocates of pure democracy. But it is under a system of wise self-restraint that the people rule, because they then rule through their own deliberate judgment. It is ourselves at our sanest that rule.

Getting Cities Together. (Peoria (Ill.) Journal.)

There are few organizations or associations in the average American city which are capable of doing effective work in outsting the heterogeneous character of the community and developing a homogeneity. Fraternal lodges do something in this respect; so do community centers, recreation centers, parks, public band concerts, community picnics. But the lack of any central and responsible agency results in the lack of any real program and concerted service.

The War Camp Community Service organization, which did such result-bringing work in war camps during the war, has recommended that the activities of this organization be continued and enlarged and changed so as to meet new demands and it has also recommended the development of what it chooses to call the "Community Service (Incorporated)."

It requires no sage or prophet to discover that organized recreation will do as much, if not more, to bring a community together as anything else. George Eliot wisely said, "Important as it is to organize and direct the industry of the world, it is more important to organize and direct the leisure of the world." And the author of the "Bluebird" adds his bit of philosophy in this, "It is the way in which hours of freedom are spent that determines, as much as war or labor, the moral worth of a nation."

"Neighborhood and community work are not new in this country. Social workers and civic leaders have developed much in getting cities and towns and hamlets united through some definite program. One Nebraska city seems to have found that organized music solves the problem for the people of that city. During war tens of thousands of cities were brought together through definite war work and Red Cross work. But as long as there is no central agency whose duty and responsibility it is to guide and develop and plan in community organization, there will be no great advance in bringing about that work-together, get-together, grow-together, and pull-together spirit without which no community can hope to advance or provide all the advantages needed by its people.

The community Service deserves the support of the people. It is the only organization that has caught a national vision in community organization. No other organization has been able to catch sight of what communities may be if working and planning and long vision are exercised.

The farmers of the Community Service organization have acted with wisdom in recognizing that no gen-

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eral rules can be laid down for the development of community spirit in every city. Each community has its own special and peculiar needs and ambitions. A community house may do wonders in solving the problems of one community while it may do practically nothing in adjusting affairs in another. Farming centers require different consideration than industrial centers. Eastern villages want other things than those of western villages. The south has its problems and the west has its own.

The objects of the Community Service are worthy of the best study of those people who want communities to be united at least as well as they were during the trying days of the war when every energy seems to be bent upon accomplishing one big job well. The financial needs of the Community Service are also worthy of support and should be considered as wise investments.

Movie Comedy. (Chicago Tribune)

Inasmuch as Charles Chaplin has the prevailing economic disease, curtailment of production, we are glad to see Mack Sennett making such development of the comic art in the movies. It was bad enough for us masses to be denied our beer and to deprive us of the comic movies made for radicalism.

The only walkout Chaplin had a moral right to was the one we have become familiar with on the stage? If Attorney General Palmer is running for president, he would be well advised to leave the coal miners alone and slap an injunction on Chaplin. That would get him something, and Palmer could run as the man who made Chaplin work. He could carry every state.

Sennett is doing a great deal to keep the masses quiet. With Turpin and Phyllis Hevas and the comedians he is developing or allowing to develop, he will put some pink in the gray days. Phyllis causes the loss of Edna Purviance to be less acute. That being some loss, Phyllis must be some cause, and it is the truth.

Many a man goes into a moving picture theater a Bolshevik and comes out a contented householder because in the meantime there has entered his life "Uncle Tom's Cabin Without the Cabin" or "Salome vs. Shenandoah."

Sennett is learning to make the funny fall funny. He makes an awkward blunder the legitimate cause of a number of grotesque effects. Man-kind dearly loves a boob. Sennett gives them ten boobs. We hope he keeps the pace and does not slip back.

Training Women for Citizenship. (Asheville Citizen)

It used to be argued that women should not have the right of suffrage

because they were not prepared for it. And the objection was valid in the literal sense that woman has had no training in the practical duties of citizenship which men absorb through practicing the arts of government from day to day.

But the war taught the nation that woman has a moral enthusiasm that is the first essential for good citizenship, and many who had opposed the suffrage movement reached the conclusion that woman's initiative is equal to the task of mastering the details of civics under stimulus of the responsibility which would come with the ballot.

To aid North Carolina women in practical preparation for the suffrage that may be granted to them, the University of North Carolina offers a short course of instruction in the fundamentals of citizenship. Professor Carroll, of the department of economics, has put into simple form the information that women's clubs will find profitable study during the coming winter, and a card of request to the university bureau of extension will bring this study course free of charge.

And while the pamphlet is intended for women who expect to be voters in the near future, there is little doubt that those who claim suffrage as a natural right enjoyed for generations would find a little time given to Professor Carroll's pamphlet an excellent investment.

Separate Cars. (Raleigh Observer)

It is not surprising that enough republicans stood by the congressmen from the south to defeat the proposition to abolish the separate car plan in operation on the railroad trains of the south.

Possibly the service furnished colored passengers may not be what it should, and a complaint of that sort should be considered, but that is not sufficient cause to bring up the question of abolishing separate accommodations for the two races. No white man and not many colored people want the arrangement changed any farther than to give the negro service equal to what he pays for just as the whites are given what they pay for. The real matter is that of association, and that is settled by the natural tendency of the two races themselves. The whites have their own institutions and negroes have theirs. Negroes do not want to go to white churches and whites do not want to go to negro churches. Each race wants to gather by itself. It is a dominant trait in all creation.

In the north it may seem more desirable for all races and all persons to mingle, yet if two Hungarians enter a car in which there are many English speaking men it is more likely that the two Hungarians prefer to be together in the car rather than

with others not as acceptable to them. Back of the separate car law is the law of association and another law of common sense. It is not a law of oppression, nor of abridgement of rights. The law requires separate accommodations for each race. If the railroads discriminate in providing satisfactory service the south will be as ready as the north to try to secure for the negro that to which the payment of his money entitles him, and he should have just as good service as the best. But abolishing the separate car law would never get it. It would bring rancor, and the opposition of both races, and end in further disturbances, and the north should realize by this time that race animosity is no longer confined to the south.

The republican congressmen who stood by the southern members showed not only good sense, but a correct understanding of the situation.

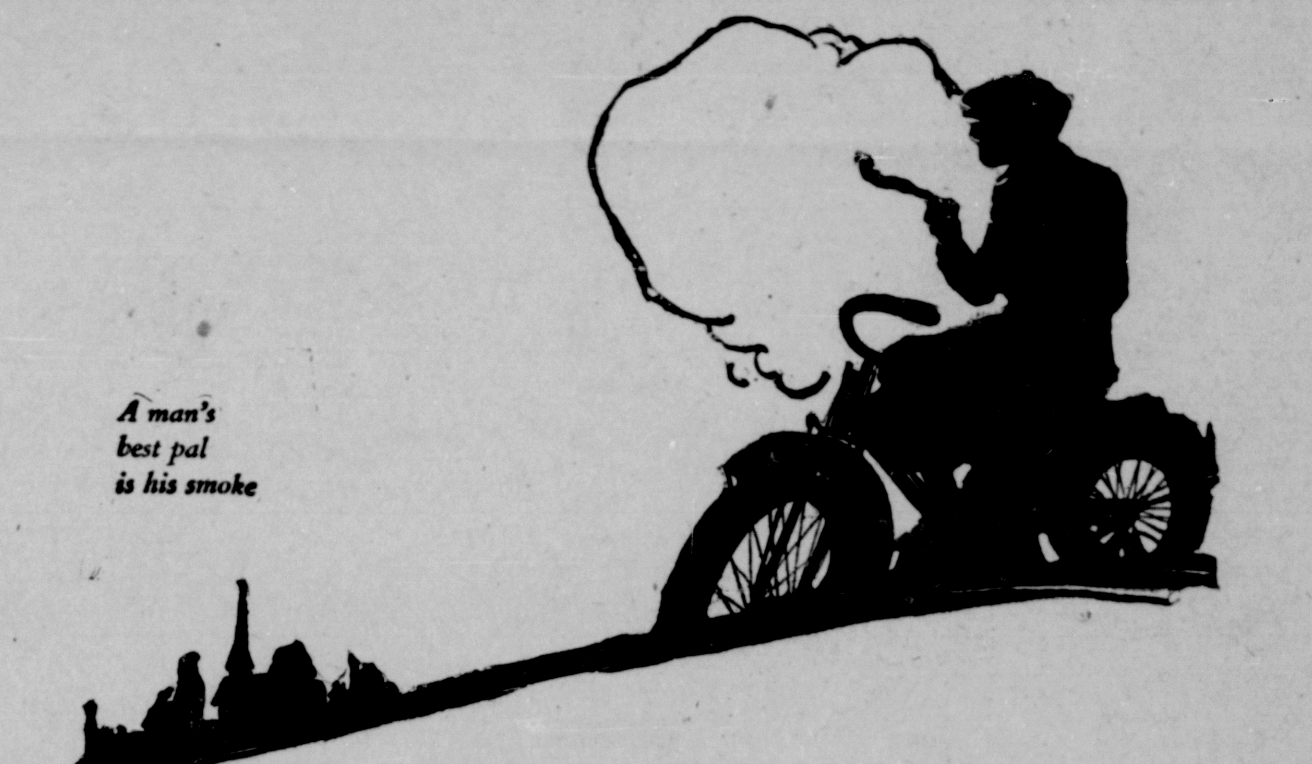
OLD BUCK HORN SALOON DISMANTLED—HORNS TO CUBA

San Antonio, Nov. 25.—A collection of horns that for many years preceding the prohibition era decorated the walls of a prominent San Antonio saloon has been packed in preparation for shipment to Cuba, where they are again to be displayed on the walls of a saloon. The collection is valued at \$90,000. The display includes the head and horns of a Kadu (African antelope), which were presented to W. H. Keilman, owner of the collection, by the late Colonel Roosevelt, after his African hunt.

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NEW MARKETING PLAN SENDS TEXAS COTTON DIRECT TO SPINNERS

Fort Worth, Nov. 25.—Texas cotton growers, for the first time in history, are exporting their product direct to foreign markets, and are netting from \$50 to \$100 more per bale than they could obtain at home.

This new market plan was announced by President D. E. Lyday, of the Texas Farmers union, who has been assisting the farmers in selling abroad.

The grower who sells his cotton in foreign markets, however, is forced to wait six to 12 months for his money. The cotton is shipped via Galveston. A broker there is handling all the arrangements for the union members, even to arranging the price, terms, etc. The obligation to the Texas farmer is guaranteed by an English, French, Italian, Spanish bank, where the cotton is shipped.

This system of the Texas cotton grower shipping board according to President Lyday, will result in the foreign cotton mills being able to resume work immediately. Heretofore they have been unable to obtain American cotton. This applies especially to the enemy nations.

One community in Texas—Sydney—has formed an association to ship direct to the foreign buyer.

In years gone by the Texas farmer sold his cotton on the home market to the representative of an American firm which in turn sold the cotton to the foreign spinner, or maybe to another foreign firm.

FOOLS THE HENS, EGG PRODUCTION INCREASED

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 25.—Electric lights, used to keep hens awake at night increase egg production 50 per cent, according to the testimony of U. R. Fishel, a poultry expert of Hope, Indiana, at a hearing conducted by the Indiana Public Service commission on a petition of an electric lighting company of Hope to abandon service.

Mr. Fishel appeared in opposition to the petition. He explained that he had invested approximately \$10,000 in electrical equipment for his poultry farm, comprising elaborate lighting systems for his hen houses.

"It has been demonstrated," Mr. Fishel asserted, "that hens by being kept awake by artificial light until 10 o'clock at night and aroused again at 4 a. m. will increase egg production 50 per cent."

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VAN ZANDT COUNTY ELECTS UNIVERSITY MAN TO LEGISLATURE

Austin, Nov. 25.—Thomas G. Pollard, senior academic student in the University of Texas, has been elected a member of the house of representatives from the Van Zandt county district, it was announced here.

Pollard was elected to the assembly from the junior class in the spring of 1917, but before qualifying for the office left to enter the United States air service. He graduated from the Austin ground school and received his flying training at Ellington field.

At present Pollard is business manager of the Longhorn magazine of the university.

Pollard is a member of the Rusk Literary society of the university, the Rusticusses, an organization of University Hall students, is vice president of the B. Hall association and is serving on the cabinets of the Baraca Sunday school class and of the Y. M. C. A.

FRENCH WAR CROSS GOES TO LAD WHO CAPTURED GUN NEST

Dallas, Nov. 25.—A French war cross, with silver star, and citation for "exceptional courage" was held at the Dallas army recruiting station for Corporal Herman J. Lange, for several weeks before he was found working for the street car company.

The decoration, awarded by General Pétain with the approval of General Pershing, was forwarded to the local recruiting officers for delivery. The citation reads:

"Near St. Etienne, Oct. 10, 1918, Corporal Herman J. Lange of the 144th infantry regiment displayed exceptional devotion and courage by following the wave of attack under violent bombardment and capturing machine gun nests, thus effectively contributing to the victorious advance of his company."

EX-SERVICE MEN MAY RENEW THEIR INSURANCE

Austin, Nov. 25.—Former military service men who have allowed their war risk insurance to lapse may be reinstated upon the payment of two months premiums, according to H. N. James, representative of the war risk bureau in Texas, who said that many discharged soldiers and sailors in Texas are unaware of this ruling.

Mr. James is now on a trip to San Antonio and Houston where he will enlist the aid of the Red Cross and the American legion posts in an educational campaign upon war insurance matters.

RICE INSTITUTE HAS BEGUN BASKETBALL

Houston, Nov. 25.—Pre-season basketball training has begun at Rice institute, with thirty candidates reporting for the first practice. Other candidates are expected to enter the lists later. According to plans a series of interclass games will precede the regular season. Half the try-outs to date are sophomores. Several football players soon will begin basketball training.

MANY BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED IN CITY DALLAS

Dallas, Nov. 25.—Building permits in Dallas for the year up to November 15 had passed the \$10,500,000 mark, according to D. C. McCord, building inspector. The figures did not include a pending application for the construction of a \$500,000 apartment house.

AMENDMENTS WERE SELF ENACTING SAYS HOBBY

Austin, Nov. 25.—Governor Hobby has stated, as the two constitutional amendments which carried in the last election were self-enacting, he sees no reason for calling a special session of the legislature.

Colds Cause Grip and Influenza

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CITY NATIONAL BANK.

New York, Nov. 25.—The Chase National Bank has increased its capital from \$10,000,000 to \$15,000,000.

AUTUMN.

(By Niel Graham)

There's a charm to me in all of the sadness of the fall in the turning of the leaves in the breeze through the branches of the trees tells to me a sweet though melancholy tale. Spring that brings the gladness of flowers, spring that trims the woodland bowers, sings a song less clear and touching to my heart. Autumn sings in solemn measures of the flight of summer's pleasures, but it's not forever that these friends must part. It's this hope that in us lies when the heart's beloved one dies; it's this hope that makes life worth its toil and pain, for we know that down below the soft cover of the snow flowers rest awhile before they bloom again. So I like a sober sky while the leaves go chasing by and the first chill hint of snow is in the air, the grey clouds are swinging low, chasing bird-clouds down below, and the fall's expectant hush is everywhere. Oh, the seasons all are good, bringing health and joy and food, and it's hard to tell which one I like the best, but the gentle pain of fall is the soothingest of all, as it sends the tired flowers to their rest.

DEPARTURE OF HEAD PLEBOPOTENTIARY TO DELAY PEACE TREATY

Lersner is Asked to State What Are the Intentions of Germany and Told That Responsibility Will Lie With Germany for Delay.

Paris, Nov. 25.—Surprise at the departure of Dr. Simson, head plenipotentiary sent from Germany to this city in connection with the armistice protocol, was expressed in a note delivered to Kurt von Lersner, head of the German delegation at Versailles, by the supreme council last night. "If the treaty is not put into force by December 1st," the note adds, "responsibility will lie with the German government, as the departure of Dr. Simson inevitably delays further conferences which must be held."

Lersner is asked to state what are the intentions of the German government.

WILSON'S CABINET HOPES TO END THE WAGE CONTROVERSY

Washington, Nov. 25.—President Wilson's cabinet expects to reach a decision today on the wage controversy between the miners and operators, that would send the miners back to work.

MASKED MEN HOLD UP GAMBLING HOUSE AND GET \$5,000.00

Denver, Nov. 25.—Two masked men early today entered a gambling house here and held up thirty players at the point of a gun and obtained \$5,000.

One of the players slipped a diamond ring under a coal bucket and it was overlooked by the robbers.

CABINET REACHES NO DECISION ON MEXICAN MATTERS

Washington, Nov. 25.—The cabinet had reached no decision today on the Mexican situation, according to Secretary Lansing, who presided at the regular weekly meeting.

Both the case of W. O. Jenkins and the general conditions in the southern republic were discussed, Lansing said, but the cabinet had before it no more information than was available to the state department today.

LONE BANDIT WAS PASSENGER ON KATY SUNDAY SAYS LETTER

San Antonio, Nov. 25.—Letters purporting to be from William Carlisle, the Wyoming train bandit, written on board a Katy train which passed through this city Sunday night, were received by the San Antonio Light today.

The writer said he was on his way to Mexico City and "when you receive this I will be just across the silvery Rio Grande, or at least I hope so."

BURLESON APPROVES 1 CENT POSTAGE FOR LOCAL DELIVERY

New York, Nov. 25.—Postmaster General Burleson has approved pending bills to reduce the rate of local first class letter postage to a penny an ounce. A letter for delivery within the postal limits of the office in which it is mailed would take a 1c stamp instead of a 2c stamp.

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PRESIDENT OF SOVIET FACES FIRING SQUAD FOR GIANT SWINDLES

Raised Enormous Sums for Buying Off Entente Statesmen and Then Pocketed the Money--Told People Gave Wilson 200,000 Rubles.

Riazan, Russia, Nov. 25.—M. Bakromoff, president of the soviet here, who raised local funds for the purchase of the entente imperialistic statesmen, has been shot by the extraordinary commission for combating a counter revolution, for misappropriating funds intended for spreading bolshevik ideas.

According to newspaper reports Bakromoff read a detailed report to the Riazan soviet, declaring he had bought Clemenceau for 150,000 rubles, Wilson for 200,000 rubles and the Berlin foreign office for 50,000 rubles. The commission has discovered that Bakromoff and two local officers had pocketed the money.

Bakromoff has admitted he had printed private paper money to the amount of 5,000,000 rubles.

SO POORLY PAID CAN'T HAVE EGGS FOR HIS BREAKFAST

Pittsburg, Nov. 25.—Carnegie institute technology professors are so poorly paid some are unable to have eggs for breakfast, and at least one is unable to buy himself a badly needed pair of shoes.

These statements are said to have been made yesterday at a meeting of the general faculty, and made public today when resolutions were sent to the trustees asking for a revise of the salary schedule.

INTEREST PAYMENTS PROBABLY DEFERRED

Washington, Nov. 25.—Interest payments on American loans to allies may be deferred "until the war reaction passes," it was said at the treasury today, but advices from Paris did not indicate an early conclusion of negotiations to this end.

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Loans and Discounts	\$ 441,663.46
Bills of Exchange	354,090.89
Real Estate, Furniture and Fixtures	137,249.00
U. S. Bonds, Stocks and Bonds, W. S. S. and Certificates	227,980.40
CASH	244,691.75
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	\$ 100,000.00
Surplus and Profits (net)	203,550.63
Circulation	96,797.50
Rediscounts and Bills Payable	54,974.00
DEPOSITS	950,353.37
\$1,405,675.50	

Announcement!

We are pleased to announce that we are receiving quite a number of Ford cars at this time. We wish to thank our customers who have waited so patiently for the delivery of cars and to assure them that we will soon be able to make deliveries.

And to those who have been thinking of ordering a Ford car but have been deterred from placing orders on account of the slowness of deliveries, we wish to say that NOW is the best time to place your orders, as we will have our heaviest shipments of cars between now and the first of March.

We will sell you a car on very easy terms. Come in and let's talk it over.

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DEFLECTIONS ARE FEW SAYS STEEL STRIKE OFFICIAL

Pittsburg, Nov. 25.—"Deflections of steel strikers have been exceedingly few and the forces working at the steel mills are most inexperienced men," said John Fitzpatrick, chairman of national strike committee, today.

"Steel mills are disorganized, crippled and unable to produce more than ten to twenty per cent of normal output," Fitzpatrick said.

He added that the national committee is prepared to continue the fight with renewed courage until the strike is settled by granting a humane American standard of hours and wages.

TANK CORPS CREW IS ORDERED TO EL PASO

Dallas, Nov. 25.—The tank corps crew and a "baby" tank, which have been connected with the Dallas army recruiting station for the last six months, have been ordered to El Paso and will leave soon. The crew consists of Captain Harry W. Bolan, Sergeant Darrell S. McMahan and Private Charles W. Schultz.

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BRYAN, TEXAS.

At the close of business November 17th, 1919.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	\$478,359.05
Banking House	33,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	5,500.00
Int. in Guaranty Fund	6,131.67
CASH	369,695.66
Total	\$893,186.38
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock	\$100,000.00
Surplus	37,000.00
Undivided Profits (net)	19,567.61
DEPOSITS	736,618.77
Total	\$893,186.38

The above statement is correct.

ED. HALL, President.
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YOUTH ACCIDENTALLY KILLED WHEN SHOT GUN IS DISCHARGED

From Saturday's Daily Eagle
Details of a tragedy in which Eddie Royall, 11-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Royall on the Bryan-College road, lost his life, were meager during the early hours of the afternoon, but it was learned before press time that the boy was accidentally shot while taking a loaded gun out of a wagon in the vicinity of the old fish pond near College, and that he died a few moments later.

The little fellow was with his brothers on the Scott place and they had a loaded gun in the wagon. In attempting to move the gun from the wagon it was accidentally discharged and the contents took effect just under the child's heart. Death followed almost immediately.

An alarm was given by the brothers and the body was hurried to the home of the parents as a physician was summoned, but the deadly bullets had claimed the little life.

Funeral arrangements include burial some time tomorrow afternoon but the hour had not been determined.

NATIONAL PARTY IS SEEKING CANDIDATE FOR THE PRESIDENCY

Chicago, Nov. 22.—Nearly a thousand delegates, including labor leaders, co-operative association sponsors, representatives of farmers organizations and non-partisan league were here today to attend a convention of the National party, called primarily to nominate a candidate for president of the United States.

Many of the new party men went sleepy-eyed in the meeting hall today after an all-night conference, caused by a conflict between radicals and conservative leaders, they said, in the American federation labor.

FIRST YEAR AS REPUBLIC CLOSED WITH DEFICIT

Vienna, Nov. 22.—The first year of the Austrian republic was closed with a deficit of thirteen billion crowns.

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Harvest Thanksgiving from our Viewpoint

We are most of us Thanksgiving,
Or we should be anyhow;
For many special blessings,
Through the past right up to now.
At all events we're thankful
For the business we have had.
Shows Brazos is a county
Where lots of folks are glad—
Glad that so many of our boys
Are with us once again,
Glad that our dead, now victory-crowned,
Gave not their lives in vain.

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PRESBYTERIANS LEAD ALL DENOMINATIONS IN GROWTH IN U. S.

Dr. Victor I. Masters of Southern Baptist Board of Home Missions Submits Statistics on Church Growth in Nation.

Dr. Victor I. Masters, of the Southern Baptist Board of Home Missions, has published the following table of percentages, showing the increase by denominations, for the whole country, based upon government statistics for the ten year period ending 1916:

Increase in membership for whole of United States, 19.9 per cent.

Baptist, 5,662,000 to 7,236,000; 28.0 per cent.

Methodist, 5,748,000 to 7,165,000; 24.8 per cent.

Presbyterians, 1,830,000 to 2,257,000; 23.3 per cent.

Disciples, 982,000 to 1,231,000; 25.3 per cent.

Lutherans, 2,112,000 to 2,463,000; 12.0 per cent.

Episcopalians, 886,000 to 1,098,000; 24.0 per cent.

Congregational, 700,000 to 790,000; 12.8 per cent.

Romanist, 14,210,000 to 15,742,000; 10.8 per cent.

After alluding to the fact that Southern Baptists have gained 31 per cent and the Southern Methodist 28 per cent, Dr. Masters with his characteristic generosity, pays the following tribute to the Southern Presbyterians:

"Because the Southern Presbyterians have meant much for the religious life of the south, though their numbers are comparatively small, it gives me distinct pleasure to be able to say that they have, for ten years, overtopped both the denominations just named in the percentage of growth. They have increased from 266,300 to 357,500 or 34 per cent. I take off my hat to the thoroughly alive and competent Presbyterian Home Mission board, located in Atlanta, to the work of which much of this growth is due."

The Presbyterian church has a very accurate system of gathering statistics and the official figures of the church show even higher rate of increase. According to these figures there has been a net gain of 37.7 per cent which is double that of the whole country and 6 per cent greater than any other denomination. Presbyterians are also in the lead in their support of foreign missions. The United Presbyterians contribute an average of \$3 per capita, the Southern Presbyterian average slightly more than \$2 while the Northern Presbyterians give \$1 per capita. In the last ten years the contributions of the Southern church to foreign missions have increased 107 per cent while the foreign mission membership has increased 175 per cent.

TEXAS MACHINE GUNNER TO ENAMP AT AUSTIN

Camp Mabry has been designated as the site for the 10-day encampment in December of the Texas national guard machine gunners. Camp Bullis, San Antonio, had been designated, but the change was made on recommendation of the adjutant general. The dates for the encampment have not been set.

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SOLD 66 TURKEYS FOR \$182.50.
Brenham, Nov. 24.—Turkeys netted \$182.50 to Henry Becker of Independence, who brought a wagon load to Brenham and sold sixty-six of them at 25c per pound, the entire lot weighing 730 pounds. Some of the birds were of the Mammoth Bronze variety. The Farmers' Union warehouse bought the turkeys for shipment.

O. L. Andrews, of Harvey, went to Houston today where he had been summoned to serve on the federal jury.

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EARLY SETTLEMENT OF COAL STRIKE IS NOW EXPECTED BY MINERS

Stephen Sullivan, President of the Springfield Sub-District Has Telegraphed Home Officials That an Agreement is Expected.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 22.—Predictions of an early settlement of the coal strike was received today from Stephen Sullivan, president of the Springfield subdistrict of the United Mine Workers, who is in Washington.

Sullivan telegraphed the local officials that he expected an agreement on a thirty-one per cent increase and that work probably would be resumed within three days.

NEW LAW PERMITS MARRIED WOMAN TO BECOME DIRECTORS

Austin, Nov. 22.—Married women may become incorporators, stockholders or directors of state banks or trust companies upon the same basis as men, according to an opinion by the attorney general's department.

The opinion is an interpretation of the act of the legislature which removes disabilities of married women, and provides that they may be stockholders or officers of any organization incorporated under the Texas laws without being joined by their husbands or exempted because of being married.

Mrs. M. M. Henshell became the first married woman in Texas to take advantage of the law as an official and director of a state bank, when the charter for the Friona State Bank, with her as cashier, was approved by the State Banking board today.

INTERVENTION IN MEXICO REQUIRES ARMY OF 450,000

Washington, Nov. 21.—State department officials in discussing the Mexican situation today disclosed the fact that three years ago the army general staff estimated that an army of four hundred and fifty thousand and three years would be required for a complete intervention in Mexico by the United States.

ONLY A FEW MORE WORDS TO BE SAID BREACH WIDENING

Washington, Nov. 22.—The bituminous coal operators today declared that Secretary Wilson's proposal to the joint wage scale committee had served only to widen the breach between the operators and miners.

"There are only a few more words to say and they will be said soon," said Thomas T. Brewster, chairman of the operators.

ALLOTTED 13 GUARDSMEN.
Austin, Nov. 24.—Advices received by Governor Hobby are that Texas is allotted appointment of thirteen enlisted men of the National guard to West Point. These men must be between the ages of 19 and 22 years, who have served as enlisted men not less than one year.

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SHELL FIRE WROUGHT HAVOC THROUGHOUT OMSK
Washington, Nov. 24.—Bolshevik shell fire and explosions wrought much havoc in Omsk, just evacuated by Kolchak forces, according to the state department advices. Many families of Siberian officers were captured by the bolsheviks.

WILSON WILL HANDLE TREATY IN MESSAGE

Washington, Nov. 21.—President Wilson will take up the whole subject of the treaty at Versailles in his message to congress on December 1st, it was stated officially at the white house today.

Until then he will have nothing to say concerning the senate's action in rejecting the treaty.

Before congress convenes it was said the administration senators will confer, and, if possible, mild reservationists on the republican side will be induced to participate with view of working out an acceptable compromise on reservations.

Regardless of who is elected to succeed the late Senator Martin, as democratic leader in the senate, there will be no change in the leadership of the treaty fight, it was said at the white house. President Wilson considers that senator Hitchcock conducted the fight ably.

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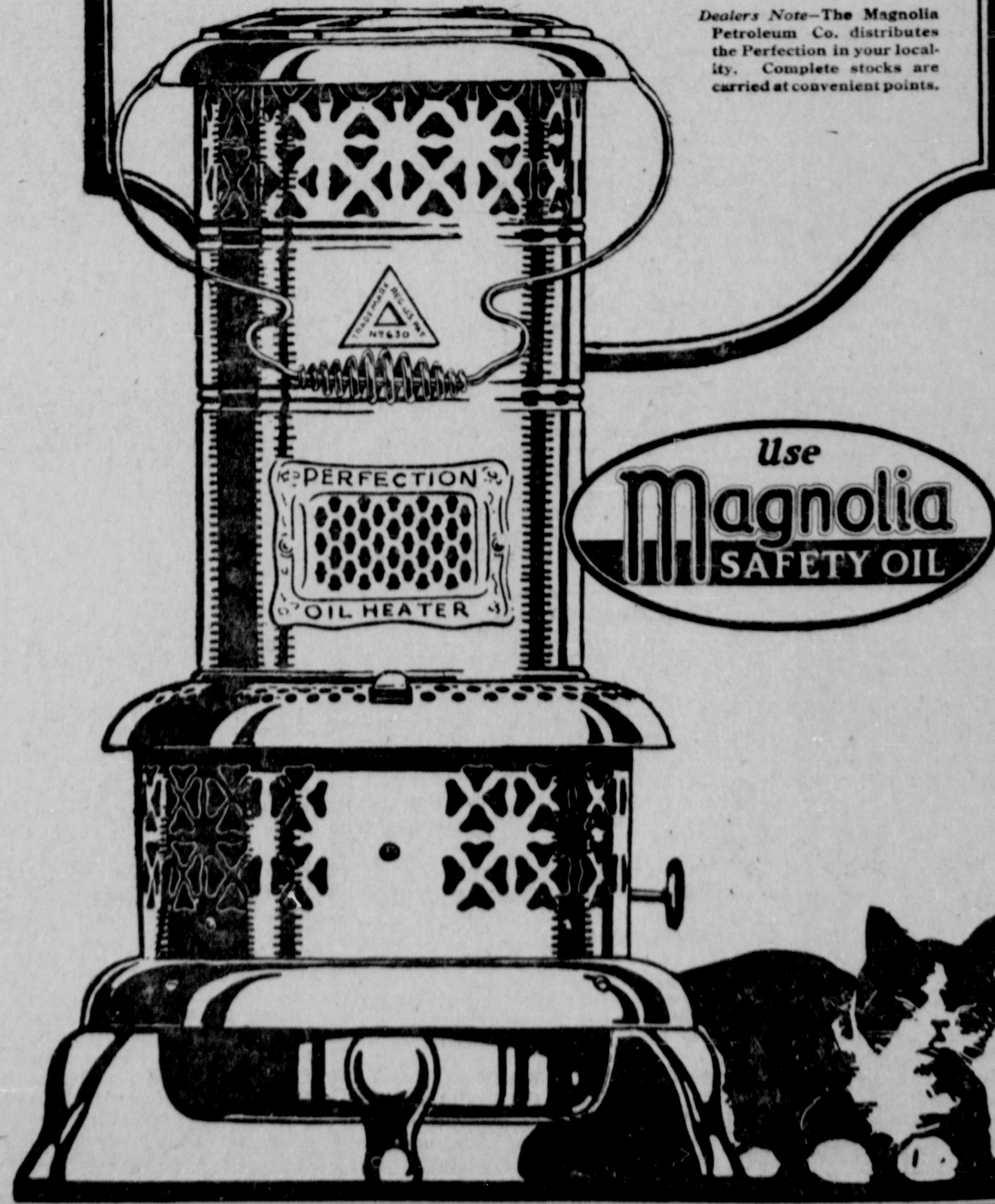
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